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## Women Who Wear Well.

It is astonishing how great a change a few years of married life often make in the appearance and disposition of many women. The freshness, the charm, the brilliance vanish like the bloom from a peach which is rudely handled. The matron is only a dim shadow, a faint echo of the charming maiden. There are two reasons for this change, ignorance and neglect. Few young women appreciate the shock to the system through the change which comes with marriage and motherhood. Many neglect to deal with the unpleasant pelvic drains and weaknesses which too often come with marriage and motherhood, not understanding that this secret drain is robbing the cheek of its freshness and the form of its fairness.

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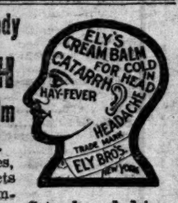


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### RIOT AT A FUNERAL.

A spectacular riot at a funeral, which resulted in a score of mourners receiving black eyes and bloody noses, the severe beating of a motorman and the breaking up of the funeral procession, occurred yesterday afternoon at Second avenue and One Hundred and Fifteenth street, New York. One man, Antonio Barolo, was arrested and held for examination on a charge of lunacy.

The funeral was that of Frank Quagliarello, who died a few days ago from a bullet wound, accidentally inflicted. He was a member of a large number of Italian societies, the members of which determined to follow his remains to their last resting place. The hearse was followed by 2,000 Italians in uniform, many of them in carriages, and there was a brass band playing a dirge.

At One Hundred and Fifteenth street a Second avenue car ran through the funeral procession and so disarranged the alignment that the marchers became furious. Fifty of the infuriated Italians swarmed into the car and severely beat the motorman, Thomas Varley. John Barry, a detective, came to the rescue of the motorman and, with the assistance of the conductor, put up a fight that sent many of the attacking party flying off the car in a disabled condition.

A squad of police arrived on the scene and the riot was stopped. By this time the funeral procession had been completely broken up, and when the hearse finally started again there were but five carriages in the line.

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### SUICIDE OF YOUNG WOMAN.

Made despondent by the belief that she was about to be jilted by the young man with whom she was deeply in love Mrs. Goldie Holbert, a comely grass-widow, about 22 years old, working in the family of Samuel H. Frownfelter, in Hagerstown, Md., committed suicide Wednesday night by inhaling chloroform.

She was found dead yesterday morning on the parlor floor. She had not removed any of her clothes, except a jacket, which she wrapped twice around her throat. Her face was covered with a handkerchief that had been saturated with chloroform. Her face was severely burned. An empty two-ounce bottle, containing no label, was still clutched in the hand.

A young man who had been paying her marked attention called to see her Wednesday night. He left about 10 o'clock. They quarreled and the girl hastily left the room. She returned carrying a bottle of chloroform. Going to the mirror she placed the bottle to her lips and threatened to drink the contents.

The young man persuaded her not to do so and tried to take the bottle from her, but was not successful. Another quarrel arose and the young man left. As he did so Mrs. Holbert told him he would not see her alive again.

Frequently of late she threatened to commit suicide. She was a daughter of Jacob Eichelberger, of Two Locks. Some time ago she married a man named Holbert, a farmer, of Clearspring. She ran away from him. Holbert applied to the officers several times to get his wife back, but she refused to live with him.

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### CHARGED WITH MURDER.

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Douglas had been employed at the Baltimore Country Club, and the Altamont Hotel. He went to Baltimore owing to something in his life abroad that he kept a secret. He said he had a brother in the Papal Guard at Rome, and that his family was rich.

When found shot in the head at his room, at 506 north Eutaw street, Coroner Baldwin gave a certificate of death from suicide.

Last night Carrie Snyder called up the police on the telephone and said Douglas had not shot himself, but that he was murdered while a party of men and women were merrymaking in his room, and that she was present at the time.

Another woman, John Caulfield and William H. Kabernagle, were also present. She says Douglas and Caulfield quarreled over his attentions to her, and that Caulfield shot Douglas; then all fled.

No one in the house or neighborhood suspected murder until the woman confessed to what she saw. Caulfield and Kabernagle were arrested.

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SATURDAY,

the 25th day of January, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., at the dock between King and Prince street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., where she now lies, the schooner Martha Davis, her boats, tackle, apparel appurtenances and furniture, as she now lies.

MORGAN TREAT,
United States Marshal.
By JOSEPH F. GLOVER,
Deputy U. S. Marshal.
Alexandria, Va., January 13, 1908.
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By S. H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Lavinia Croson, recorded in deed book No. 98, page 368, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned surviving trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Mechanics Building Association No. 4, of Alexandria, Va., the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provision of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Market building, Royal street, in this city, on

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FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 17, 1908.


THE estimated cost of the Panama canal keeps on growing as the digging proceeds. It has successively jumped from $100,000,000 to $130,000,000 then $200,000,000 and $250,000,000. Now Colonel Goethals, chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission and chief engineer of construction, tells the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce, and Secretary Taft tells the Senate committee on inter-oceanic canals that the estimate of $250,000,000 did not include the $40,000,000 purchase price paid by the United States to the Panama Canal Company nor the $10,000,000 similarly paid to the Republic of Panama, therefore the actual total computed cost would be $300,000,000. The more that is learned of the Panama canal the more is the belief growing that Senator Morgan was right when he advocated the construction of the inter-oceanic canal through Nicaragua.

A JOINT resolution was introduced in the House of Delegates yesterday proposing an amendment to the constitution restoring the sessions of the general assembly to ninety days, instead of sixty days, as at present. The resolution should be killed by the legislature at once, but if that body should foolishly adopt the measure it will be killed all right by the people who must vote upon the question. The majority of the people in the State are in favor of having fewer and shorter sessions of the legislators rather than more and longer sessions. Sixty days is long enough if the legislature would attend to business and stop fooling away time.

IN SPITE of an earnest and impressive appeal by Governor Hughes for support for his recommendations that racetrack gambling be abolished, the agricultural societies of New York which met at Albany yesterday took no action favoring such support. Indeed, the Union Town agricultural societies, one branch of the agricultural associations, before its members went near the governor, formally adopted a resolution passed last year opposing any change in the present laws unless a permanent appropriation of $250,000 a year was assured to the farmers. The agriculturists fear that if racing is stopped the price of their horses will decline.

WITH a clear understanding that the issue was between Governor Hughes and Secretary Taft as the choice of the republican county committee of New York for presidential nominee, the Parsons, Roosevelt-Taft men and the Hughes-Odell men battled terrifically last night at the meeting of that committee and the Hughes men lost. Mr. Roosevelt does not intend to have his plan defeated in his own State.

## From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., January 17.

The impeachment of Judge Peter S. Grosscup, of the Seventh United States Circuit Court, at Chicago, is a possible outcome of the allegations filed with the U. S. Supreme Court in connection with the application for a review of the Judge's findings in the Chicago street Railroad case. The charges were held by Justice Day, to whom the application was originally made, to be of such serious character, that he deemed it advisable to bring the matter to the attention of the entire bench. It is freely predicted today that, if the court, after hearing arguments in support of the application next Wednesday should include in its opinion, a criticism of Judge Grosscup's assumption of jurisdiction in the case, steps will be taken to carry the charges into the United States Senate in impeachment proceedings. The complaint of the petitioners is that Judge Grosscup had a personal interest in the case, and therefore, had no right to try it.

That Secretary Cortelyou is preparing a bomb shell for his critics, is declared today by persons who profess to be in his confidence. They say that, in responding to the demands of Congress for information regarding the methods employed by the Treasury Department in relieving the late money panic, he will furnish data that some folks will not particularly relish. It is hinted that he will not only supply all the information for which Congress has been clamoring, but that he will include as "exhibit A," copies of all letters received from Senators and Representatives, appealing for public funds to be deposited in their respective localities. The statement is made that some of the very men who have been loudest in their denunciation of the Secretary's financial policies, and who have been charging favoritism in the allotment of Panama canal bonds, are on record in writing, with demands for unusually large slices of government money for favored banks.

Vigorous defense was made today by Secretary Cortelyou, of his allotment of the recent Panama canal bond issue to the national banks. It was in the form of an answer in the District Court, to the complaint of George W. Austin, of New York, a disappointed bidder for $3,000,000 of the bonds, at 103.375. Cortelyou alleged not only that Austin was financially unable to meet the obligations of his bid, but that he had made it purely for speculative purposes. The Secretary declared that, in making the allotment, he selected "the highest reasonable bids, and those most advantageous to the United States," asserting that the law gave him absolute discretion in the matter and authority to reject any or all bids.

President Roosevelt today, in response to an appeal from the Nevada legislature transmitted by Governor Sparks, ordered the federal troops to remain at Goldfield until the legislature shall have had opportunity to organize such police force as will enable the State authorities to perform the police functions of the State. I assume, of course, that there will be all possible expedition in providing this police force.

If Secretary Loeb is elected a member of the Board of Directors of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, at the annual meeting tomorrow, and soon afterward becomes president of the corporation, as is expected, he will probably quit his place at the White House within a very short time. There is much speculation over the Secretary's probable successor. Friends of assistant Secretary Rudolph Forster hope to see him promoted to the place. First Assistant Postmaster General Frank H. Hitchcock, of Massachusetts, has also been industriously pushed for the secretaryship by a large following of admirers, and assistant Attorney General Alvord W. Cooley, of New York, has also been mentioned."

Judge Alton B. Parker, of New York, democratic candidate for President in 1904 has been retained by the American Federation of Labor, as its chief counsel in the case brought against it by the American Manufacturers Association, to enjoin the publication of the "unfair list" in the federation's monthly magazine.

A rumor, the source of which was not traceable, was circulated today that the battleship Connecticut, Admiral Evans's flagship, had been blown up in the harbor of Rio Janeiro. No dispatches that could possibly form the basis for such a report, had been received at the Navy Department up to 1 p. m. today and officials there scouted the idea.

Gen. Sherwood (dem. Ohio) today introduced in the House his much talked of bill, cutting down the army to 35,000 men. He would provide for ten scout regiments for emergencies and would increase the efficiency of the national guard.

A bill to prevent federal interference with State railroad rate laws during their trials in the several states was introduced in the House today by Mr. Hackey (dem Mo.).

## Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Jan. 17.

SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today having adjourned Thursday till Monday.

HOUSE

When the House met today, republican floor leader Payne asked unanimous consent to correct the record of the debate on Wednesday.

"Representative Cochran (dem. N. Y.) calls to my attention," said Mr. Payne, "that my remarks on that day were attributed to him, and his remarks to me. While he might well be proud of my remarks, he seems not to be."

The remarks that had been thus tangled, were in a political debate.

"I would be proud of them," replied Mr. Cochran, "but I don't want to appear before this Congress and the country as having stolen goods in my possession."

The House took up the bills on the private calendar and at 1:25 o'clock adjourned till Monday.

### THE ALDRICH BILL.

With the two sessions of the Senate finance committee yesterday the general consideration of the Aldrich bill was completed. A tentative agreement was reached regarding the amendments that will be made to the measure. These are:

Increasing the aggregate of emergency circulation authorized from $250,000,000 to $500,000,000.

In view of the increase in the amount of emergency notes permitted, the tax to be made progressive up to a maximum of 8, and possibly 10, per cent.

Railroad bonds to be retained in the bill as security for circulation, but the limit of issue to be 75 per cent. of the market value of such bonds.

On State, municipal, and county bonds, the issue of notes to be permitted up to 90 per cent. of the value of such bonds.

The limitations of municipal bonds to cities having a population of 20,000 to be eliminated, so that any municipal bonds may be used, so long as they meet the requirements.

A proposed amendment by Mr. Bailey dividing the country into geographical districts, the emergency circulation to be distributed in proportion to the capital stock and surplus of the national banks in each district, probably will be agreed to at the next meeting after Mr. Bailey has reduced it to legal form.

### COURT OF APPEALS.

The proceedings of the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

French vs. Logan's administrator and others. Fully argued and submitted.

Crounse vs. Crounse. Argued and submitted.

Brown & Hooff vs. Cornwell, et als. Partly argued and continued.

Next cases to be called: Burton vs. Haden, et als.; Whittle vs. Whittle's executor; Fortress vs. Pocahontas Fowling Club; Southern Railway Company vs. Newton's administrator; Drake vs. Blythe et als., and Searboard Air Line Railway vs. Chamlin, et als, being Nos. 19 to 24, inclusive, on argument docket.

The following are among the opinions handed down by the Court:

By James Keith, president:

Knights of Columbus vs. Burroughs' beneficiary. Corporation Court of city of Alexandria. Reversed.

Forbes et als. vs. State Council of Virginia, Junior Order United American Mechanics of Virginia. Chancery Court of city of Richmond. Writ dismissed.

Southern Railway Company vs. Hansbrough's administratrix. Circuit Court of city of Alexandria. Reversed.

Newport News Light and Water Company vs. Peninsula Pure Water Company (two cases). State Corporation Commission. Affirmed.

Stevens vs. Duckett. Circuit Court of Fauquier county. Rehearing refused.

### THE WESTERN STATE HOSPITAL.

Dr. J. S. De Jarnette has just issued his annual report as superintendent of the Western State Hospital, at Staunton, which shows that there are 1,192 patients at the institution. The officers propose soon to erect a new building for epileptics. At present, the insane and epileptic patients are confined together, and the new building will be a welcomed innovation.

## News of the Day.

The Irish parliamentary party yesterday re-elected John E. Redmond chairman.

Sailors from the U. S. battleship fleet have spent $100,000 in Rio de Janeiro in four days.

The Senate, in executive session, yesterday ratified a treaty with Spain, providing for the mutual extradition of fugitives from justice in either country.

Archduke Ferdinand IV, Grand Duke of Tuscany and father of the King of Saxony's divorced wife, died at Salisburg, Austria. His daughter, once the Princess Louise, recently married the Italian Musician Toselli.

Cardinal Gibbons will leave Baltimore on Saturday, January 25, for Boston, where he will confer the Pallium of Archbishop of Boston on Right Rev. William H. O'Connell, who has been acting archbishop since the death of Archbishop Williams.

Three American cutters, the Thetis, the Rush and the Perry left Seattle, Wash., late last night and are searching today for the British ship Hartfield, from Liverpool for Valparaiso and Seattle, which is believed to be a wreck off of Vancouver Islands, with at least thirty lives lost.

The Hughes boomers, at the meeting of the New York republican county committee last night, held in the Lyric Hall, succeeded in carrying out their plan to force a line-up on the question as to whether the committee should indorse Gov. Hughes as the candidate for the presidency from that State. The Hughes men lost by eighty votes.

E. H. Harriman was yesterday directed, in a decision given by Judge Hough in the United States Circuit Court of New York, to answer all questions propounded to him by the Interstate Commerce Commission, except those relating to the purchase of Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Railroad stock in connection with the dividend of August, 1906. Judge Hough also directed Otto H. Kahn, of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., to answer all questions asked him by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

## Virginia News.

Willie H. Reed and Miss Lillian B. Everett, of Isle of Wight county, drove 95 miles to get married and escape the bride's father.

A telegram from Victor Col., announced the death of Charles R. Adams, son of John Dean Adams, White Hall, Frederick county.

Miss Nellie Carr, daughter of John Carr, of Clarks Gap, Loudoun county, and Samuel Belt, of Leesburg, were married Wednesday in Washington.

Rev. John S. Hansbrough, for nearly thirty-eight years rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church at Washington, has resigned owing to his advanced age.

Mrs. Margaret Gray Dickerson was married yesterday to Mr. George A. L. Merrifield by Rev. I. A. Davison, assisted by Rev. Dr. Franklin Noble, all of Falls Church.

Former Governor A. J. Montague, was yesterday named as a member of the board of State proxies in the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad. He will succeed the late Frank P. Christian.

Mr. Albert Jenkins, a young farmer, and Miss Cecila Fisher, both of Frederick county, were married yesterday at White Post. Rev. H. M. Strickler, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, officiated.

Charles B. Adams, of Aldie, died yesterday at the home of his son-in-law, Frank Ish, aged eighty-seven years. He was a native of Fauquier county, and married a Miss Gibson, of that county. He is survived by five children.

### Jr. O. U. A. M.

The Court of Appeals, in an opinion handed down yesterday in the case of Forbes et al., against State Council of Virginia, Junior Order United American Mechanics of Virginia, which came up from the Chancery Court of Richmond, dismissed the writ of error on the ground that it (the appellate tribunal) has no jurisdiction to review the judgment complained of.

The Chancery Court of Richmond, in the case styled "State Council of Virginia, J. O. U. A. M., against National Council, J. O. U. A. M., and others, upon the petition of plaintiffs, issued a rule February 20, 1907, against J. W. Forbes and others, summoning them to appear and show cause why they should not be fined and imprisoned "for a contempt of this court in disobeying, disregarding and evading the decree of this court rendered July 21, 1904, as affirmed by the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia and the Supreme Court of the United States."

After several continuances, the several defendants were adjudged to be in contempt, and the Chancery Court fined them $20 each.

Then followed the appeal to the supreme court and the awarding of the writ of error.

The State Council insisted, at the outset, that the writ was improvidently awarded. It took the ground that for a contempt which consists of disobedience of a lawful decree of a court by a party to the suit in which the decree was rendered, no writ of error lies from the Supreme Court.

In concluding their opinion, the judges say: "The judgment complained of does not deprive them (the plaintiffs in error) of life or liberty. It imposes a fine, and they are given a reasonable time within which to pay it; and it is only in the event of their failure or refusal to pay it that they are to be committed to jail. The imprisonment then would be not the direct result of the judgment of the court, which by its terms imposes a fine upon plaintiffs in error for their disobedience to a law decree of the court. The language of the constitution is not broad enough to cover the case before us. It applies to every judgment involving the life or liberty of any person, but by force of the very terms employed excludes from its operation judgments which do not, by their own terms, involve life or liberty. * * * The writ of error is, therefore, dismissed."


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### The Market.

Georgetown, D. C., Jan. 17.—Wheat 95-100.

## Legislature.

Both houses of the legislature yesterday unanimously elected the circuit and corporation judges nominated in Wednesday night's joint caucus. In the House, S. E. Sutherland, the republican delegate from the counties of Dickinson and Wise, was heartily cheered by all members when he placed before the House the name of Judge Skeene, a democrat, to succeed himself.

SENATE.

Senator Echols introduced a bill to amend section 51 of the revenue laws, dealing with peddlers. The only change in the law is that which imposes a tax of ten dollars on each and every peddler of pianos and organs in this State.

Senator Parks offered a bill which imposes a penalty of from $500 to $1,000 on railroads and telephone companies who shall demand, require or permit train dispatchers, whether telegraph or telephone, or switchmen, operators in telegraph or telephone offices to work more than eight hours in any day of twenty-four hours.

A resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution by the striking out section 30, which prescribes that the General Assembly may fix a property qualification for voters in any county or subdivision thereof or in any city or town of not exceeding $500, has been offered by Senator Parsons.

HOUSE.

A joint resolution was introduced by Mr. Featherstone, proposing an amendment to the constitution, restoring the sessions of the general assembly to ninety days instead of sixty days, as at present.

Bills were introduced abolishing the license tax for pilotage purposes on coastwise vessels, the ports of the State having been clamoring for more than a quarter of a century for the abolition of this tax. Vessels engaged in regular trade along the Atlantic coast under the provisions of the bill would hereafter be allowed to enter Virginia waters absolutely free. The measure proposes general amendment of the pilotage laws.

Mr. Featherstone offered a bill to amend section 821 of the code, so as to allow the removal of all county or district officers for malfeasance, misfeasance, incompetency, gross neglect of official duty, or for moral shortcomings, as evidenced by their conduct after their election or appointment.

Mr. Stuart offered a bill proposing the payment of the funeral expenses of Confederate soldiers who are now or hereafter may be enrolled on the pension lists of the State.

Mr. Featherstone introduced a bill to repeal the existing statute requiring that interest be paid upon all State, county, district and municipal taxes or levies remaining unpaid on June 15, in the year next after that in which the same were or may be assessed, and to provide the date from which such interest shall be charged.

As an amendment to the State statute in reference to the recordation of deeds, Messrs. Evans and Lewis conjointly introduced a bill which provides that it shall be the duty of the grantee in every deed conveying real estate to have the same duly recorded in such clerk's office within sixty days from the time of the delivery of said deed to the grantee, and upon his failure so to do, after twenty days given by the grantor, he shall forfeit $20.

As an amendment to the act in relation to chain gangs, Mr. Silverton would provide, in a bill presented by him, that the supervisors or judge of any county may send such persons to work on public works of such county located in another county or city, and may also hire them to railroads or other public service corporations in the State.

A bill intended for the protection of the depositors, stockholders and the banks themselves, and which will practically place all State banks upon an equal footing with national banks, was introduced.

Col. Bowman, chairman of the finance committee, offered the general appropriation bill, and it was referred to the committee on finance. The bill is an exact copy of that passed at the last session, and is presented as the basis upon which the new bill will be framed. This is the usual course, though the bill is presented earlier this year than customary.

The Department of Agriculture is charged with enforcing the provisions of the pure food bill now before the legislature and there is provision for making purchases for the purpose of making tests. Articles which may be found to contain adulterations are to be confiscated and destroyed. The bill is drastic in some of its provisions. The sum of $20,000 is appropriated for enforcing the bill.

The House committee on counties, cities and towns yesterday reported the following bills:

To confer upon the corporation commission power to fix rates on electric light, water and power companies.

To provide for organization and incorporation of communities as cities of second class whose incorporated community is less than 10,000 inhabitants.

To authorize apportionment of city taxes.

To fix fish wardens for the State.


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### DIED.

At her home, January 17, 1908, at 1 o'clock a. m., Mrs. JULIA F. TURMAN, widow of the late Wm. J. Turman and daughter of the late Henry L. and Julia A. Simpson, in the 69th year of her age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

## Today's Telegraphic News.

### Women Storm Premier's House

London, Jan. 17.—Suffragettes raided Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's house during a cabinet meeting today. A terrific battle was fought in the hallway, pandemonium reigned throughout the establishment for an hour, the streets were packed for blocks in each direction, many arrests were made and a number of people were roughly handled by the bobbies" before order was restored.

Just what the woman's rights crusaders wanted did not clearly appear. It seems to have been designed mainly as a demonstration of strength and without a specific object. The House was stormed in force, the door was pushed in despite the efforts of all the men servants on the premises and the leader of the band crowded inside and engaged in a hand-to-hand struggle with the lackeys in an effort to compel her followers' admission.

The fight was at its climax when a detail of police arrived and put the women under arrest. The moment they appeared in the doorway with her, however, her sisters rushed to her rescue. The "bobbies" fought for a moment, then retreated inside the house, barred the door and telephoned for reinforcements.

A squad of twenty men finally scattered the crowd, dispersed such of the suffragettes as they did not arrest and patrolled the neighborhood to be sure that there was no attempt again.

Two of the suffragettes had chained themselves to the area railing in front of the Campell-Bannerman mansion and it was necessary for the police to break the chains to arrest them.

### The Thaw Trial.

New York, Jan. 17.—Today's proceedings in the Thaw trial again started twenty minutes late owing to Justice Dowling's failure to be present at the hour for opening court. Mrs. William Thaw reached the court house at 10:10, accompanied by her son, Josiah Thaw, and Roger O'Mears, the family detective.

Miss Alice C. Fletcher, of Washington, D. C., a middle-aged woman, was the first witness called to testify concerning the prisoner's nervous nature.

Evelyn Thaw was later called to the stand and sworn, but Littleton, after consulting with his associates, decided to withdraw her temporarily, stating that he was not quite ready for her testimony.

Catherine O'Neill who was a nurse in the Thaw family for six years entering after Harry had passed his third birthday was next called to testify concerning Thaw's peculiarities.

This witness was followed by Thomas F. Lynch, doorman at the Nineteeth Precinct Station where Thaw was confined after the murder.

Mrs. William Thaw was called to the stand at 2:15 p. m.

Mrs. William Thaw saw her son for the first time in months at the noon recess of court. She greeted him affectionately and while they were conversing Evelyn Thaw came in.

According to the keepers who witnessed it, the meeting of the daughter-in-law with her mother was friendly but not particularly affectionate.

### Masonic Temple Destroyed.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 17.—The handsome Masonic Temple, on north Charles street, near Saratoga street, was almost entirely destroyed by fire this morning. For a time the flames threatened the destruction of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, immediately north of the temple, but by heroic work the firemen succeeded in saving that historic structure During the progress of the fire several firemen were injured by falling pieces of marble.

The exact amount of the loss has not yet been made public, but there was $325,000 insurance on the building and contents.

The burned structure was four stories high and was occupied almost entirely by the Masons.

At 11 o'clock the fire was still burning but was under control. This is the second time the temple has been a prey of flames, it having been destroyed on Christmas Day, 1890.

The interior decorations, which were magnificent, are ruined and many relics and Masonic valuables have been destroyed. A number of fashionable stores in the neighborhood were more or less damaged.

### The Fleet at Rio.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 17.—Admiral Evans's trip ashore and the two-mile boat race between crews of the gunners' mates on the United States warships in port here are the features of today's programme for the men accompanying the visiting armada.

The gunners' mates will race in dingies. The keenest rivalry has been growing up.

The admiral has not had a chance even to set foot yet upon Brazilian soil, but made all his plans for paying his respects upon the foreign minister today. Elaborate preparations were made for receiving him.

The day of the fleet's departure will probably be the most spectacular of any from the moment that it entered port. President Penna will bid the officers and men farewell on the deck of their own flagship, but a half hour before they sail and a division of Braz l's fighting craft will accompany the armada 300 miles on its voyage.

### Woman's Fatal Leap.

New York, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Herbert Sears, wife of a Boston lawyer reputed to be a millionaire and a member of one of the most aristocratic families of Massachusetts, was instantly killed today, a plunge from the window of her room on the thirteenth floor of the St. Regis Hotel to the room of a four-story residence adjoining. At the hotel it is said there is no doubt she leaped purposely to death, and there are indications that she carefully planned her suicide. Mrs. Sears had been in ill health for some time.

Suffering from a violent attack of gout, the Pope was ordered to bed today for a long rest.


### Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by all druggists, fifty cents.


### Woman Killed at Fire.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 17.—One woman is dead, another missing and a number seriously injured as the result of a fire which destroyed the factory of the Imperial Underwear Company here today. The dead woman is Mary Buckley, who jumped from the fourth-story window, breaking her neck and dying instantly. Florence Watrous is missing, and it is feared she may not have gotten out of the burning building. All of the injured girls were hurt in leaping from upper stories after escape had been cut off by the flames.

### The Japanese Fleet.

Tokio, Jan. 17.—Informed unofficially that some uneasiness is felt in the United States concerning the distribution of the Japanese fleet, Minister of Marine Admiral Saito said today he would be perfectly willing to make a detailed statement showing the whereabouts of every ship. He attributed the rumors of worry, however, to European sources.

### New York Stock Market.

New York, January 17.—The downward movement in progress yesterday continued without much interruption throughout the first hour with Amalgamated copper prominent weak features and nearly everything on the list showing important losses. There was one prominent exception to the general decline, Northern Pacific.

After the first hour a firmer tone developed with large orders which forced material advances in several instances.

### CONGRESSIONAL.

A number of bills were passed in the Senate yesterday, including an "omnibus" private pension bill, the first reported to the Senate under the new arrangement to consider such bills in bulk.

Mr. Lodge's resolution reported from the committee on rules, designed to stop the practice by Cabinet officers and heads of bureaus of sending prepared bills to Congress unsolicited, passed.

The Senate considered the report of the committee to revise the work of the commission to codify the criminal laws.

Among the bills that were passed were several relating to the District, including that to transfer the aqueduct and filtration plant, with appurtenances, from the War Department to the Commissioners.

The Senate adjolned to meet at noon on Monday.

Another session of the House yesterday was spent in committee of the whole considering the penalties to be inflicted upon members of Congress for offenses committed by them while serving in that capacity.

The proceedings were relieved from tediousness attending the usual discussion of legal matters by a speech from Mr. Gardner (rep., Mass.), who attacked the existing statutes and proposed amendments thereto as being intended to fool the people.

Mr. Gaines (dem., Tenn.) was even more entertaining in the advocacy of his bill to protect congressmen from influence of corrupt lobbyists. He prophesied that the bill would become a law, as had the anti-pass bill, and said that gentlemen opposing it had come to him asking to be allowed to roost on his limb, recalling the old adage: "That it's a short Jersey that doesn't need a tail in fly time."

No important change was made in the text of the bill, the republicans voting down all anti-lobby and anti-bribery amendments.

### KNOCKOUT BLOW TO SOCIAL CLUBS.

The fake social club was handed a knockout blow in the Court of Appeals yesterday, the special point in the case being that of the Hanger pharmacy, of Portsmouth.

Sometime ago a party of citizens of that city formed a combination, calling themselves the Crawford Social Club. They secured a charter which gave them the privilege of selling cigars and soft drinks on Sunday to the members of the club. The ordinances of Portsmouth prohibit the indiscriminate sale of anything on Sunday, including cigars and soft drinks, and as a result the drug stores which sold cigars and soft drinks were required to close on Sundays.

The officers of this club in question rented a rear room in the Hanger drug store, and opened their headquarters. As a result the store was open on Sunday for the sale of sodas and cigars to members of the club. Other drug stores, which sold such things during the week, and soft drink establishments made a kick, and the case got into court with a verdict against the club. An appeal was taken to the Court of Appeals and yesterday the judgment of the lower court was sustained. The opinion made it clear that no club could take advantage of its charter for the purpose of commercial enterprise, and as it was clearly shown that the drug store was being used in that sense the charter was revoked.

### NEW TRIAL FOR RICHARDS.

Once more a halt has come in the case of John W. Richards, who for several years has figured in the courts of Floyd county, Va., as the alleged murderer of Maurice Francis, of Roanoke. The crime was committed in 1905, when Francis was shot down from ambush while on his way to visit his sweetheart. Suspicion pointed to Richards, who was a schoolteacher. Two trials resulted in hung juries, a verdict of murder in the first degree being rendered in the third.

The case has been twice to the Court of Appeals. That tribunal yesterday morning handed down an opinion which reverses the Circuit Court of Floyd county and means a new trial for the accused.

Richards was connected with the homicide by a bottle of greased shot found near the scene of the murder. It was proved to the jury that eighteen months previously he had used such shot in hunting. The introduction of this evidence constituted an important point in the case. Common report said that the girl whom Francis was visiting was also the prime object of the prisoner's affections and that it was his love for her that drove his hand to murder.

China is likely to appeal in a few days for British support in defying Japan's interdict on the proposed new Chinese railroad paralleling the South Manchurian line.

The President has approved the recommendation of the Isthmian Canal Commission that the width of the Panama Canal locks be increased from 100 to 110 feet.


DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known. Sold by W. F. Creighton.


### CLOSED THE CHURCH.

The Presbytarian Society of Tekonsha, Mich., has closed the church doors after a prolonged row with the pastor, Rev. William McPheters. Mr. McPheters at one time was in the pulpit of a large Washington church, and there was much speculation as to why he came to a small village. It was learned he had lost his wife and only son by death and was seriously affected by his grief. His sermons lately have been full of criticisms that offended his congregation. Last Sunday evening the climax came when he called the women of the church "a flock of cackling parrots." A meeting of the members was called, and it was unanimously voted to release the pastor and close the church doors, though but six weeks of the existing contract remained.

### SNOWBALLS SAVE TOWN.

Probably the most remarkable manner of extinguishing fire occurred yesterday at Boswell, Pa., a mining town, when hundreds of men, women, boys and girls saved the town from destruction by throwing snowballs. The town has no fire department and water is scarce. The flames had gained much headway, and a building in which was stored sufficient powder to blow up the village was threatened. As a last resource practically the entire population began throwing thousands of snowballs, made from soft wet snow, and after a time prevented the explosion and confined the flames to a half dozen buildings.

The statement of State Superintendent of Banks Williams, of New York, published today shows a decrease of $862,113,191 in resources of State trust companies between August 22 and December 19, 1907.

### Wholesale Prices of Produce.

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| Flour Extra | 4 00 | a | 4 25 |
| Family | 5 00 | a | 5 35 |
| Fancy brands | 5 50 | a | 5 75 |
| Wheat, longberry | 0 98 | a | 1 02 |
| Mixed | 0 93 | a | 0 98 |
| Fultz | 0 93 | a | 0 95 |
| Damp and tough | 0 80 | a | 0 85 |
| New Cob Corn, per bbl. | 3 00 | a | 2 75 |
| Corn, white | 0 73 | a | 0 75 |
| Mixed | 0 70 | a | 0 72 |
| Yellow | 0 70 | a | 0 73 |
| Corn Meal | 0 80 | a | 0 82 |
| Rye | 0 00 | a | 0 80 |
| Oats, mixed, new | 0 58 | a | 0 60 |
| White, new | 0 63 | a | 0 65 |
| Elgin Print Butter | 0 32 | a | 0 34 |
| Butter, Virginia, packed | 0 16 | a | 0 18 |
| Choice Virginia | 0 23 | a | 0 26 |
| Common to middling | 0 14 | a | 0 16 |
| Eggs | 0 30 | a | 0 31 |
| Live Chickens (hens) | 0 11 | a | 0 12 |
| Spring Chickens | 0 14 | a | 0 15 |
| Dressed Hogs | 0 8 | a | 0 9 |
| Potatoes, per bu | 0 75 | a | 0 80 |
| Sweet Potatoes (barrel) | 2 80 | a | 3 00 |
| Yams | 1 00 | a | 1 25 |
| Onions, per bushel | 1 00 | a | 1 25 |
| Dried Cherries | 0 12 | a | 0 14 |
| Dried Apples | 0 04½ | a | 0 05 |
| Apples, per bbl | 0 00 | a | 3 50 |
| Dried Peaches, pealed | 0 10½ | a | 0 14 |
| Pork, per 100 lbs | 7 50 | a | 8 50 |
| Bacon, country hams | 0 15½ | a | 0 16 |
| Best sugar-cured hams | 0 15½ | a | 0 16 |
| Butchers' hams | 0 16 | a | 0 16 |
| Breakfast Bacon | 0 12½ | a | 0 13 |


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## Local Matters.

**Sun and Tide Table.**

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:16 a. m. and sets 5:06. High water at 7:52 a. m. and 7:57.

**Weather Probabilities.**

For this section fair, warmer tonight. Saturday rain and warmer; winds becoming southerly and fresh.

### MIDGETS' REMINISCENCES.

As was stated in the Gazette, officers at a late hour Wednesday night went to the jail in this city and took charge of George Midgets, colored, who had been sentenced to be hanged today, and after placing him in a carriage conducted him to the jail in Alexandria county. The entire proceeding was strange to the condemned man, who did not know till late yesterday afternoon that his execution had been posponed until February 14

The officers who took charge of the prisoner say that he trembled like a leaf, he supposing the procedure was one of the preliminaries which was to precede his execution. After having been placed in the carriage Midgets became communicative, and notwithstanding his previous assertions that the world would never know anything concerning his past life, he recited to the officers several chapters in the history of his career.

Among other things the officers report, Midgets said he never worked in his life nor intended to do so. He had his own theories about human existence, one of which was his disbelief in female virtue. The prisoner had therefore kept away from women passing as respectable and always kept company with those of another class. On one occasion Midgets said he was intimate with a young colored woman who was employed in a northern hotel. He induced his companion to steal sundry articles from the place, and when he learned they were searching for the woman he made the latter don male apparel. The officers came to his home and saw the object of their search in masculine clothing, but failed to recognize her. Midgets and the woman told the officers the female they sought had left the house several days ago, but that they would do all in their power to aid in ferreting her out. Midgets and his female companion later accompanied the officers to the hotel where they weres hown a list of the articles which had been taken.

Midgets said he had a contempt for officers in citizens' clothes. When he went to a city he always identified such and invariably made their acquaintance. He said in his incursions into residences he always carried a knife and a pistol. On one occasion he and a companion, whose name he did not mention, started to rob a home in Pennsylvania. Midgets left his confederate on the outside. The prisoner said he entered a room where he saw a table on which note paper and envelopes with black borders were lying. There was nothing in the room to attract his covetousness, and he passed to another where he collided with a coffin. He took a glance at the corpse and left the house as soon as possible. After he had emerged his companion observed that he had brought no plunder with him. Midgets told him if he wanted anything in that house he would have to get it himself.

Midgets said that at another time he and a companion accosted a gypsy on a road near Philadelphia. His confederate ordered the man to throw up his hands. The nomad threw out his right arm instead and knocked Midgets' companion down. Midgets discharged a pistol at the gypsy, and his companion having gained his feet, the footpads ran away. Midgets said he did not know whether the gypsy was killed or not.

The prisoner said he was fond of good clothes and good living, and his conversation throughout was that of a man who was determined to get all possible out of life. He professed to be of an independent nature, and said he never authorized anybody to carry his case to the Court of Appeals, nor did he want his sentence commuted, as he is averse to work and would have to work in the penitentiary. He preferred death to five years' imprisonment.

Midgets said, in returning to his reminiscenes, that he never entered a house in which all the lights had been extinguished. He invariably selected those in which lights were kept burning.

It is said that Midgets repeated to the officers the story of his escape from Alexandria after the murder on the night of the 20th of October, 1906, which materially differed from that made by him before the Corporation Court last March.

When told late yesterday evening that he had been reprieved for thirty days he expressed his regret, saying he was ready to die.

It is understood that ex-Judge Nicol, who is not satisfied with the legal proceedings in Midgets' case, has taken some interest in the matter. He wrote a letter to Governor Swanson advocating the commutation of the sentence to life imprisonment. The ex-judge in his letter said he did not think Midgets had been properly represented from the fact that his counsel had not had sufficient time to prepare for the defense, other lawyers having previously been appointed to defend Midgets but had declined to accede to the court's request. It is also said that Judge Barley has written a letter to the Governor defending his course in Midgets' trial, the judge contending that everything was conducted in a legal manner.

### CLAIMANTS OF REWARD.

Buck Bush, the colored boy who found the body of Lieut. John W. Crawford, late secretary to Admiral Dewey, nearly opposite this city, in the Potomac river, Wednesday afternoon [illegible] said, receive the $25 reward offered by the Washington police department for the recovery of the body. Enos Reed, off whose property the body was found, has put in a claim for the reward.

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"The whole year through," writes L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Me., "I and my family used Dr. King's New Life Pills. They have proven most satisfactory to all of us." They tone the system and cure biliousness, malaria and constipation. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 25c.

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### DEATH OF CAPT. WILKINS.

The many friends and acquaintances of Conductor John J. Wilkins, of the Southern Railway, were shocked to hear last night of his sudden death which occurred while he was in charge of north bound passenger train No. 30 at Covesville, about fifteen miles south of Charlottesville. His death occurred at 7:35 o'clock last night.

Capt. Wilkins was seated at a table in the dining car of the train when death overtook him. He was seen to reel and fall to the floor, and, upon being picked up by passengers, life was found to be extinct. Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause of his sudden death.

At Charlottesville the late conductor's place was taken by Conductor Clarke. The train bearing Conductor Wilkins's remains reached this city at 11:40 o'clock last night, and his body was taken to his late home, 809 Cameron street.

The deceased was fifty-eight years of age, and is survived by a widow and two sons, Messrs. William and Maurice Wilkins. Capt. Wilkins was one of the oldest conductors on the road, having served in that capacity for about thirty years. The deceased was a member of the board of stewards of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, was a member of the Order of Railway Conductors, the Royal Arcanum, the Knights of Honor and was a director of the Mercantile Railway Building and Loan Association. He was a popular conductor with the traveling public and esteemed by all who knew him.

### FUNERAL.

The funeral services of the late James Woolls, jr., son of Mr. James Woolls, took place this morning at the home of his grandfather, Mr. William P. Woolls, corner of Wolfe and Royal streets, afterward from St. Mary's Catholic Church. The interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery. Rev. Father Kelley conducted the services and the following schoolmates of the deceased were the pallbearers: Masters Ashby Beadon, Richard Finks, William Patterson, Everett Hellmuth, Betram Dienelt, Earl Wells, Harrie Crilly and Bernard Hamilton.

### SERIES OF DANCES.

Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, propose to inaugurate a series of dances for the season beginning on the 27th instant, at McBurney's Hall. These dances will be exclusively for members of the order and their lady friends. Messrs. H. B. Quinn, H. Fleischmann, H. Dachslager, J. Kaufmann, W. M. Donnelly, W. H. Whitcomb, D. E. Robey, G. W. Bontz, jr., Frank Smith, E. Stewart Smith, and Charles J. Geisendaffer constitute the committee which will be in charge of the dances.

### COLD WAVE.

The rain of yesterday morning was followed in the afternoon by clearing weather and lower temperature. A cold northwest wind prevailed at the close of the day and during the early part of the night, but it soon subsided. The temperature, however, continued to fall, and the mercury in the thermometer this morning stood at 29°. The weather has been fair and cool today. The present cold wave will cover the entire East and the Atlantic and Gulf coast. It will be short-lived, however, and by Sunday it will be warm again.

### POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

There were three cases before the Police Court this morning—each of a trivial nature—and they were dismissed. Two boys were charged with assaulting another youth. They were warned of the consequences should they again become disorderly on the streets. A colored boy had been cited to appear to answer a charge of cruelty to a calf. The complainant failed to appear. A colored man was charged with stealing coal, but the plaintiff was not present when the case was called.

### DEATH OF MRS. TUBMAN.

The many friends of Mrs. Julia F. Tubman were shocked to hear of her death which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Ogden, on south Columbus street, at an early hour this morning, she having retired in her usual good health. Mrs. Tubman was a daughter of the late Henry L. Simpson and is survived by a daughter, three sisters and a brother. The family have the sympathy of their many friends in their sorrow following so closely upon the death of Mrs. Tubman's brother, George L. Simpson.

### BASKETBALL.

The Alexandria Athletic Association basketball team defeated the Olympia Athletic Club team last, by the score of 30 to 8. The visitors were entertained after the game by a dance. The Alexandrianswill play Troop F, of Washington, next Tuesday night, and a good game is expected, as the home team is under new management now. There will be a wrestling match tomorrow night, between Joe Furner, of Washington and Young Parker, of Baltimore, for the benefit of the association.

### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The Civil Service Commission announced yesterday that the spring examinations for the departmental service in Washington will be held in Virginia on the dates annexed; Alexandria, April 8, 9, 27; Lynchburg, March 11, 24, April 15; Norfolk, March 11, April 4, 6, 15; Richmond, March 11, April 2, 3, 15; Roanoke, March 11, 25, April 15; Staunton, March 11, 23, April 15.

### MEMORIAL BRIDGE BILL FAVORED.

Senator Martin, of Virginia, yesterday reported to the Senate, from the committee on the District of Columbia, with a recommendation that it pass, Senator Daniel's bill, providing for a memorial bridge over the Potomac river, from Washington to the Arlington estate.

Auction tonight and tomorrow night. Do not miss the chance. 319 Cameron st. Sale 7 p. m.

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"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed for fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at all drug stores.

Don't forget the bargains to be secured in dry goods, notions, etc., at 319 Cameron street. Sale on today.

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**STATEMENT.**

**Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,**

DECEMBER 3, 1907.

| RESOURCES. | | LIABILITIES. | |
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| Loans | $569,556.85 | Capital | $100,000.00 |
| U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation | 100,000.00 | Surplus | 50,000.00 |
| Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit | 53,000 00 | Undivided Profits | 56,252.57 |
| Other Bonds and Stocks | 28,111.56 | Circulation | 98,900.00 |
| Banking House & Real Estate | 52,856.97 | Deposits | 586,818.29 |
| Cash | 43,921.72 | U. S. Deposit | 50,000.00 |
| Due from Banks & Reserve Agents, | 94,523.76 | | |
| | $941,970.86 | | $941,970.86 |

Accounts of Individuals, Firms and Corporations Invited.
Interest Paid in Our Savings Department.

### PERSONAL.

Mr. James Patterson is confined to his home on Cameron street by the grip.

Mr. Guy M. Mesick has returned from a visit to Florida and Cuba.

A number of young ladies of this city will give a Leap Year dance tonight at McBurney's Hall. The dance will be in honor of the Alexandria German Club, the members of which have given a number of delightful germans during the season.

Mr. Harry Hantzmon, now of Charlottesville, is in the city, having been called here by the illness of his father.

Mrs. J. A Carter, accompanied by her little daughter, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dempsey.

### CONFEDERATE BANQUET.

The arrangements for the annual banquet to be given at Lee Camp Hall next Monday evening in honor of Gen. Lee's birthday have been completed. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the Confederate organizations and, without question, will be a most elaborate affair. The commander of Lee Camp, W. A. Smoot, will preside and Lee's Farewell Address will be read by C. S. Taylor. The toast, "Gen. Lee," will be responded to by Governor Swanson; "The Confederate Soldier," by Senator W. J. Bryan, of Florida, and "The Sons of Confederate Veterans," by Hon. H. D. Flood. Other speeches will probably be made.

### DIRECTORS ELECTED.

At the meeting of stockholders of the Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation held in this city yesterday the following directors were elected: J. H. Bradley, C. J. Bell, Jas. H. Hayden, Ward Thoron, Chas. G. Smith, Chas. G. Smith, jr., and Robert C. Hayden, all of Washington.

The stockholders of the J. H. Bradley Company at their meeting held in this city yesterday elected the following officers and directors: J. H. Bradley, president and director; S. Duncan Bradley, vice president, treasurer and assistant secretary; Jas. H. Hayden, director; J. W. Hotzberg, secretary.

### AUCTION SALE TOMORROW.

Capt. Knox, auctioneer, will offer at public auction at noon tomorrow at the Royal street entrance to the City Hall a lot of ground with the improvements on the north side of Gibbon street east of Henry street.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills They promptly relieve backache and weak back. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

Broken lots of Ladies' Fine Shoes at about half price. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

Geo. K. Bender will have at his stand in in the market tomorrow a lot of home-killed and dressed Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens.

### LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was no meeting of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company last night, no quorum having appeared. A meeting will be held next Wednesday night.

A. Erwood, a soldier at Fort Hunt, was arrested yesterday by Special Constable Payne and taken before Justice T. S. Wright at Mount Vernon who fined him $7.40 for assault on Thomas Travers, a special agent of the electric railway company.

Representatives of the fire companies of the city met last night at the Reliance engine house and discussed matters in connection with the part the fire department will take in the parade on the 22d of February.

The small frame house on the north side of Duke street, near Patrick, is being razed. This was one of the oldest houses in Alexandria. The lot belongs to Aldermen C. J. W. Summers.

Your stomach supplies your brain with force. The best should never be too good for it. Auth's meats are the finest obtainable. Sylvan Blondheim, city market.

Owing to heavy sales I will only have one sale today—7 p. m.
THOS. L. CARTER,
Auctioneer, 319 Cameron st.

Beautiful Roses, Carnations and Narcissus at Geo. K. Bender's in the market tomorrow.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

### WANTED.

WANTED—At the Bliss Silk Mills—Girls and boys from 14 years up. Light, clean work; paid while learning.
BLISS SILK THREAD CO.,
jan14 2w Per J. Olldorf.

COMPANIONS.—You are notified to attend a called convocation of Mt. Vernon R. A. Chapter, No. 14, to be held in the Tabernacle, MONDAY NIGHT, January 20th, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock.
Work.—S. and R. M. and M. E. M.
By order of the M. E. High Priest.
jan17 2t K. KEMPER, Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, Incorporated, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before them, will be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms January 16, 1908, at 7:30 p. m. By direction of the President,
H. WHITE, Secretary and Treasurer.

The meeting of the stockholders of the above named company was adjourned till WEDNESDAY, January 22, 1908, at the same place and hour.
H. WHITE, Secretary and Treasurer.
jan7 td

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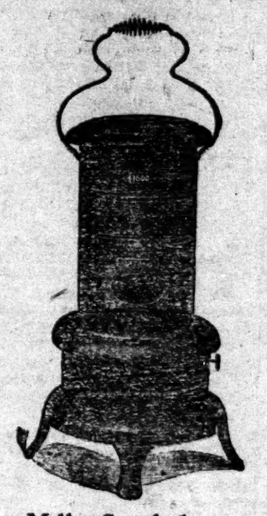

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Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10 a. m. and 8 45 a. m., and 1 35, 4 30, 7 45, and 8 15 p. m. 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8 45 a. m., 4 30, 7 20 and 9 30 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 a. m and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 p. m. 9 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 45 a. m., and 3 30, 5 45 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m and 3 30 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 1 35, 4 30, 7 45, p. m. 8 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 20 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 17th day of December 1907.

Bertha M. Clauss } vs. John W. Clauss } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, John W. Clauss, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect this interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Machen & Moncure, p. q. dec17 w4w-tu

### PROPOSALS.

Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., January 4, 1908. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 11 a. m., February 7, 1908, for the construction of macadam roads at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of $5.00 which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Macadam Roads at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.
jan 6, 7, 8, 9, feb 5, 6.

PURSUANT to resolutions of the Board of Directors of the Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, Incorporated, passed January 8th, 1908, a meeting of the stockholders of said company will be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in this city, at 1.30 p. m. on the 10th day of February, 1908, which resolutions are as follows:

Be it resolved: That in the judgment of the board it is deemed advisable and for the benefit of this company that its affairs should be wound up and the corporation dissolved.

Resolved: That a meeting of the stockholders of the Company be called to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of February, 1908, at the hour of 1:30 p. m. at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, to take action upon the resolution of the board.

Resolved further: That within ten days after the adoption of this resolution that notice be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, wherein the principal office of the Company is located, at least once a week for four successive weeks next preceding the time appointed for the same, of a meeting of the stockholders to be held at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, to take action upon the resolution of the Board of Directors The said notice shall contain a copy of these resolutions, and a copy of these resolutions shall be mailed to each stockholder in person.

Attest: H. WHITE,
jan13 wtf Secretary.


Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 17, 1908.


### "At Prayers" and a Seat.

The scramble for seats in the house of commons is regulated by certain rules. A member present at prayers has a right to the place he then occupies until the rising of the house. Each evening stands absolutely independent and by itself, and therefore the title to a seat secured by attendance at prayer lapses at the termination of the sitting. On the table in a little box is a supply of small white cards with the words "At prayers" in large old English letters. Obtaining one of these cards and writing his name on it under the words "At prayers," the member slips it into a receptacle in the bench at the back of the seat and thus secures the place for the night against all comers. He may immediately leave the house and remain away as long as he pleases. The place may be occupied by another member in the meantime, but whenever the master of the seat, the gentleman whose autograph is written on the card in the little brass slit, returns to the chamber the temporary occupant of the seat must give place to him.

### He Tamed the Princess.

William the Conqueror when he was only the Duke of Normandy had fallen in love with the Princess Mathilde of Flanders. She was proud and haughty and had refused the noble lovers who were anxious to win her hand. The wily Norman studied her character carefully and when he had mapped out his plan of campaign rode into the town one day when she, at the head of a party, was going from church. He sprang from his horse by her side, boxed her ears soundly, pulled her off her steed, rolled her vigorously in the mud, told her that he loved her and rode away. The astonished princess was infuriated and swore all kinds of vengeance. After her rage cooled down, however, she said to her father that upon reflection she had come to the conclusion that the only man who could treat Mathilde of Flanders in that manner should be her husband. They were married, and the union turned out to be one of the happiest marriages in the history of royalty.

### The Prophetic Gift.

That there are persons today who possess the somewhat uncanny gift of being able to predict future events is probably true. The wife of the late Sir Richard Burton, the famous traveler and linguist, not to mention other instances of her weird gift, announced the very first time she saw Burton at the time a perfect stranger whom she had met quite casually, that he would be her husband. At the present moment, too, there is said to be a man who has manifested such an extraordinary faculty of predicting things that are about to take place that a number of medical men have purchased the reversion of his brain in order that they may examine that organ after death to see if it shows any special development to account for his wonderful gift.—Grand Magazine.

### A Cane In Defense.

"If you want to keep off holdup men," said an old detective to the observer, "carry a cane. A holdup man is more afraid of a cane than he is of a revolver. He's deathly afraid that the man carrying it will jab it in his face or eyes or get the end of it in his mouth. On this account they're just as much afraid of a small light stick as they are of a heavy one. There are so many different ways of using a cane that a man doesn't know just which way to guard against it. And any man can use it. Nine men out of ten who carry revolvers couldn't hit the side of a barn with them, and the 'holdups' know it, but it doesn't take any skill or practice to learn to slam bang away with a walking stick."—Columbus Dispatch.

### The Statue of Liberty.

"I wonder if local mariners appreciate the optical illusion which the statue of Liberty presents to a man arriving in this port for the first time," said the skipper of an East Indian tramp, who a few days before had entered New York harbor upon his first voyage here. "I saw the statue before I got to the Narrows, and it seemed as if it were just about where quarantine is. Later the thing seemed about abeam of the Kill von Kull. It kept getting farther and farther away, until I finally wondered whether I should ever bring it abeam. I suppose its great height accounts for this."—New York Post.

### Priest's Orders.

An actor named Priest was playing at one of the principal theaters in London. Some one remarked at the Garrick club that there were a great many men in the pit every evening.

"Probably clerks who have taken Priest's orders," said Mr. Poole, one of the best punsters as well as one of the cleverest comic satirists of the day. —London Telegraph.

### Giving Quickly.

"See me next week about it."

"But he who gives quickly gives twice."

"That's just the point. I don't care to be held up later for a second subscription."—Pittsburg Post.

### His Opportunity.

He—I'm going to bring Jolt home with me to dinner tonight. She—Oh, mercy, dear, don't! It's the cook's day out, and I'll have to cook dinner. He—Never mind; I owe Jolt one anyway.—Exchange.

### Good Features.

Mrs. Bacon—Why, that piano has several keys that make no sound at all. Mr. Bacon—Yes, and there are some other good features about it.—Yonkers Statesman.

### Wise Counsel From the South.

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blakenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles I was completely cured, so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at all drug stores. Price 50c.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

### Irish Sarcasm.

A happy and humorous example of sarcasm as apart from repartee is afforded by the following anecdote. I quote it on the authority of a friend, who, I am afraid, was the villain of the incident: A most imperturbable man was followed from Westmoreland street, Dublin, over the O'Connell bridge to the general postoffice by two little street arabs, who importuned him for the end of his cigar. "Throw us the butt, sir! Ah, sir, throw us the butt!" cried the youths, but as the man did not betray the slightest consciousness of their existence they gave him up at last in despair and disgust. "Arrah, let him alone," said one, with the most scorching scorn. "Shure, it's a butt he's picked up himself."

I once heard a bumptious little man, who, acting as steward at athletic sports in Dublin, was very assertive in keeping back the crowd, thus addressed by an angry spectator: "If the consate was taken out of yez, ye'd be no bigger than a green gooseberry, and ye're as sour as wan already!"—London Standard.

### Happiness From Troubles.

Being human, happily or unhappily, we cannot deny the comfort to be found in the reflection that misery never lacks the company it loves. We all have our troubles, and some of us derive much satisfaction from the contemplation of them. Indeed, there are those who are happy only when wretched, but these we believe to be as few in number as they are disagreeable in association. The vast majority of humans are normal and disposed, therefore, in conformity with natural law, to smile when the skies are clear and to grieve under the portent of clouds; hence the ease with which worry takes possession of the mind, colors the disposition and makes a cripple of effort. That causes abound we know and must admit, as we do almost unconsciously the certainty of death, but too little cognizance is taken of the fact that the effect of mere apprehension, which is all that worry really is, may be subjected to simple mental treatment and be overcome.—George Harvey in North American Review.

### Vernet and the Veteran.

"When Horace Vernet, the great French painter of battle scenes, was at the height of his fame," said an artist, "when the prices he was getting were enormous, a grizzled old veteran came to him one day and said:

"'I want you to make my picture to send home to my son. What, though, is your charge?'

"'How much are you willing to pay?' said Vernet, smiling.

"'A franc and a half,' was the answer.

"'Very good.'

"And the artist, with a few quick strokes, dashed off a wonderful sketch of the old man.

"The old man paid, tucked the sketch under his arm and carried it out triumphantly to a comrade who awaited him outside.

"'But I did wrong not to haggle a bit,' Vernet overheard him say. 'I might have got it for a franc.'"

### Each Got What He Wanted.

"A hunter set out one day to hunt, and a panther set out at the same time to eat," said the lecturer.

"'I must have a fur overcoat,' said the hunter.

"'I,' said the panther, 'must have a dinner.'

"Some hours later, in a lonely wood, the panther and the hunter met.

"'Aha,' said the hunter gayly, leveling his gun, 'here is my fur overcoat.'

"And he shot, but the panther, dodging behind a tree, escaped unhurt.

"Then the panther rushed forth before the hunter could reload,

"'Aha, here's my dinner,' said the panther.

"And he fell upon the hunter and devoured him.

"Thus each got what he wanted, the hunter getting his fur overcoat and the panther getting his dinner.

### The Coach and Four Came.

Among the many records of Harrow school is that of a boy, the son of a poor local tradesman in a very small way of business. His schoolfellows often taunted him about his family poverty. Their thoughtless jeers, although hurting his feelings, drew from the lad the retort, "I intend before I die to ride in a coach and four." The years sped by, and, lo and behold, the poverty stricken youngster of Harrow had developed into Dr. Parr, the greatest scholar of his time, whose customary and favorite means of locomotion was a coach and four!—London Mail.

### How the Baby Talked.

Mr. Bacon—I was up to see the Smarts' baby today.

Mrs. Bacon—Did they make him talk?

"Yes."

"What did he say?"

"I couldn't understand. I think it's a great mistake for a mother to teach a child to talk when she has hairpins in her mouth!"—Yonkers Statesman.

### The Lovely Life.

Mrs. Proud—What did you think of Myrtle's essay on "The Lovely Life?" Mr. Proud—Excellent. No one would think that Myrtle drinks eau de cologne and slaps her little brother, would they, dear?—Chicago News.

### Preoccupied.

The professor had fallen downstairs, and as he thoughtfully picked himself up he remarked, "I wonder what noise that was I just heard?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The applause of a single human being is of great consequence.—Johnson.

### FROM THE ANTILLES.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Benefits a City Councilman at Kingston, Jamaica.**

Mr. W. O'Reilly Fogarty, who is a member of the City Council at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies, writes as follows: One bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had good effect on a cough that was giving me trouble and I think I should have been more quickly relieved if I had continued the remedy. That it was beneficial and quick in relieving me there is no doubt and it is my intention to obtain another bottle." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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### True Business Instinct.

Ed was a mighty bright negro belonging to a family in Columbia, Tenn. He had been a faithful servant for many years, and by saving and carefully investing his wages he had belied the usual thriftlessness attributed with more or less justice to the majority of his race.

His master was an attorney, and one morning before he had arisen the lawyer was called upon by Ed, who said:

"Say, boss, Ah wants yo' ter draw me up a mawkgidge."

"A mortgage?" asked his master. "What do you want a mortgage for?"

"Well, Ah's done lent Unc' Lisha five dollahs, an' Ah wants a mawkgidge on his cow an' caff."

"For how long have you lent the money?"

"Fo' one mouf."

"One month! Why, the interest on that amount for that time wouldn't pay for the paper a mortgage is written on."

"Boss," said Ed, scratching his head, "Ah ain't carin' nuffin' fo' dat intrust. Ah jes' wants dat niggah's cow an' caff."—Judge.

### MEETINGS.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS of the by-laws, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the NEW WASHINGTON BRICK COMPANY for the election of nine directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the company's office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the first Thursday after the second Monday, being the EIGHTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1908, at noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock m., to one o'clock p. m.

T. L. HOLBROOK, President,
WM. F. MATTINGLY, Secretary.
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THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRY COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on January 13th, 1908, at 3:30 p. m., for the purpose of election of directors and officers for the ensuing year, for the purpose of authorizing a reduction of its capital stock from one hundred and twenty thousand dollars to twelve thousand dollars, and the amendment of the charter of the company accordingly, and to authorize the sale of its quarry property situated in Glen Echo, Md., and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

J. C. PRATT, Secretary.

The meeting of the stockholders of the above named company was adjourned till SATURDAY, January 18, at the same hour and place.

J. C. PRATT,
dec30td Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 20th day of January, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered.

JOHN B. THOMAS,
dec31 td Secretary and Treasurer.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the DULIN & MARTIN CO. will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 21, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

T. C. DULIN,
jan6 td Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the LAS OVAS COMPANY, incorporated, will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 21, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

GEO. C. REID,
jan6 td Secretary.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WASHINGTON NATIONAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON, D. C., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of said association will be held at the principal office of the association in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m. on WEDNESDAY, January 22, 1908. By order of the Board of Directors.

J. C. STODDARD
dec21 w5t s Secretary.

NOTICE.—Under the first by-law the annual meeting of the stockholders of the EUREKA MANGANESE COMPANY will be held at No. 504 Duke street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 23rd day of January, 1908, at 12 o'clock m.

L. W. REID, Secretary.
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N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper for New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:17 A.M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

4:22 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Augusta Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Sleeper to Aiken. Dining car service a la carte. Tourists to California Monday, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

10:32 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 9:13, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

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Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:17 A. M., and 5.15 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:21 A. M. and 5:15 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

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Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 59, 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 06 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40 1 40, 2 40, 3 40, 4 47, 7 06, 8 46 and 10 16 p. m.

### Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect January 6, 1908.

Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 02 and 9 08 a. m., 12 01 2 34, 8 07, 9 23, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 08 a. m., 12 01, 8 52, 9 23 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 23, 4 37, 8 33 and 11 22 a. m., 4:02, 5 08 (local), and 9 47 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 37, 6 48, and 11 22 a. m. 4 02, 5 08 (local), and 9 47 p. m.

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